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SUBJECT: GASOLINE SHORTAGE

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1. GON HAS TAKEN ACTIONS DESCRIBED BELOW ON BEHALF OF DIPLOMATIC COMMUNITY IN CONNECTION WITH GASOLINE CONSERVATIONS PROGRAM:

A. ALL VEHICLES BEARING DIPLOMATIC LICENSE PLATES (DIPLOMATIC CORPS AND STAFF) HAVE BEEN EXEMPTED FROM SUNDAY DRIVING BAN.

B. A MONTHLY GASOLINE RATION OF 200 LITERS FOR ONE PRIVATELY OWNED AUTOMOBILE AND 75 LITERS EXTRA FOR A SECOND HAS BEEN ALLOCATED TO ALL EMBASSY EMPLOYEES WITH VEHICLES BEARING DIPLOMATIC LICENSE PLATES. THIS ALLOCATION BASED ON OVERAGE MONTHLY FUEL CONSUMPTION REPORTED TO FONOFF BY EMBASSY.

C. A MONTHLY GASOLINE RATION OF 400 LITERS FOR EMBASSY OFFICIAL VEHICLES HAS BEEN ALLOCATED. THIS ALLOCATION BASED ON AVERAGE MONTHLY FUEL CONSUMPTION REPORTED TO FONOFF BY EMBASSY.

D. GON FONOFF HAS PROVIDED FOR CONSIDERATION OF REQUESTS FOR SUPPLEMENTAL RATION FOR PRIVATELY OWNED AND OFFICIAL VEHICLES ARRIVING DURING RATION MONTH.

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2. IN ADDITION TO ABOVE, GON HAS ISSUED THRU EMBASSY APPROXIMATELY 120 LITERS PER MONTH PER PRIVATELY OWNED VEHICLE OPERATED

BY U.S. MILITARY PERSONNEL STATIONED IN THE NETHERLANDS.

3. DUTCH NATIONALS HAVE BEEN ALLOCATED A GASOLINE RATION OF
15 LITERS PER WEEK.

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